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SIR:

In response to the Office action mailed 06/04/2004 please consider
the following remarks.

REMARKS

Reconsideration of the rejection of the subject matter of this application is
requested.

The Examiner has cited a new reference, rejected all claims based primarily
on the newly cited reference, and has made the rejection final. As a result, the
record so far contains no developed issue in the sense that both sides of the
patentability issue have not been presented. Applicants will attempt to rectify that.